

4 Protestant Churchmen In Bulgaria Given Life Sentences

Sofia, March 8 (AP)—The four top defendants in Bulgaria's spy trial of Protestant churchmen were sentenced today to life imprisonment.

They are Vassil Ziakov, 48, Congregationalist minister; Yanko Ivanov, 48, Methodist; Nikola Naumov, 49, Baptist; and Georgi Chernev, 46, Pentecostal. Each was fined 1,000,000 leva, or about \$3,750.

The Moscow-trained prosecutor, Dimitar Georgiev, had demanded death terms for each and long prison terms for 11 other churchmen on trial with them. All were accused of spying for the United States and Britain and of black market currency dealings. Ziakov also was accused of treason.

The four leading defendants were sentenced additionally to loss of civil rights and confiscation of all property.

More Than Life

Ziakov, the main defendant and religious representative of the Protestant denominations, was accused of leading an organized intelligence net for the two Western powers. Added to his life sentence was a five-year term on a count of spreading rumors about the country's economic life. He got also a 15-year sentence for allegedly trying to incite against the government.

All the 15 ministers had abjectly confessed during the trial. Seven wept copiously as they professed their guilt and said they had become convinced during their imprisonment that Communism is best for Bulgaria.

Other sentences were:

Lambri Mishkov, 41, Congregationalist, 15 years for spying, three years for spreading false rumors and a fine of 250,000 leva, or about \$93,500.

Georgi Vashev, 42, Baptist minister, got the same sentence as Mishkov.

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Good Evening

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PRICE THREE CENTS

Council Names Committee On Comfort Station; Budget Is Adopted; Keep Old Tax Rate

DR. M. MELCHIOR SPEAKS SUNDAY IN BRUA CHAPEL

A committee of three members of the borough council was named Monday night at the regular council meeting in the engine house by Council President H. M. Oyler as a "Comfort Station" committee, following a report by Burgess C. A. Heiges on progress toward obtaining plans and estimates.

The committee, named at the request of the burgess, is composed of Fred A. Hummelbaugh, chairman; L. D. Shealer and Wilbur J. Stallsmith.

Burgess Heiges estimated the probable cost of a comfort station beneath the pavement in Center square at \$35,000.00 and said "the women are ready to go ahead to raise the money." He referred to women's organizations which he said favored the comfort station idea and were willing to conduct a financial campaign to raise funds for it.

"We have five or six contractors waiting to bid on it," the burgess added. Three architects have contacted the burgess, Heiges said. The charge would be one per cent for a preliminary survey, three per cent for the plans and two per cent for supervision of the work, he said. Estimate of the cost was based on comfort stations constructed in other cities, including one under construction in Harrisburg, he said.

Council adopted the 1949 budget, totaling \$19,255.50, of which \$24-

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DR. MELCHIOR

State Approves County Payments

Auditor General G. Harold Wagner has approved payments totaling \$198,432.51 to police pension funds in 108 municipalities in the Commonwealth. The money is part of a \$1,058,745.93 fund available for distribution to municipalities having police departments, and the State Police Retirement Fund.

The payments are made under the provisions of the Casualty Insurance Act. The fund represents one-half of the two per cent tax collected on foreign casualty insurance premiums written in the commonwealth during 1947.

The municipalities sharing in the money released today for payment and the amount allocated to each are listed below by counties:

Adams: Boroughs: Gettysburg, \$792.55; Littlestown, \$329.96; New Oxford, \$159.96.

RECEIVES CAP

Miss Irene Wagner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wagner, of Table Rock, was a member of a class of nurses of the York hospital, who were capped in a ceremony held Monday evening at the nurses' home. Among those who attended the exercises were her parents and her grandfather, Samuel Bair, of Hanover. Miss Wagner was graduated from Biglerville high school last spring.

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Club Program Open To Public

All members of the Woman's club of Gettysburg may bring a guest to Wednesday's meeting to hear Mrs. Jeannette M. Dye, serving her third term as a member of the House of Representatives, Harrisburg. Also, any others interested in hearing this well known legislator speak on her bill in the legislature to segregate juvenile delinquents from hardened criminals, will be welcome.

Mrs. Henry M. Scharf, president of the club, said the club was opening the speaking session, which will begin about 2:30 o'clock, in the YWCA, to the public because of the widespread interest in Mrs. Dye and her proposed legislation.

The business session of the club will open at 2 o'clock.

Tea will be served.

BOROUGH BUYS PLANK DUMPING GROUNDS, \$3,000

Council, at its regular March meeting in the engine house Monday evening voted authority to the finance committee to purchase the Paul Plank dumping grounds off the Baltimore pike from the Gettysburg National bank for \$3,000. The borough has been leasing the grounds for \$175 a year. It receives approximately \$150 a year for garage permits, the burgess said. The property is located on the old McAllister Mill road, and also has an entrance near the bridge over Rock creek. Biglerville, New Oxford and Dillsburg also dump on the property, it was said.

A proposed new building ordinance was again presented to the council, but action on it was deferred to the April meeting. The proposed ordinance will be posted in the office of the burgess for public inspection.

Buy Manhole Covers

Borough Engineer LeRoy H. Wimbrenner was authorized to purchase five new manhole covers, at \$18 each. The highway committee was authorized to have all the street

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JOINS SORORITY

Miss Marianne Bracey, daughter of Mrs. Anna Bracey, of 54 East Middle street, was recently initiated into Beta Pi chapter of Phi Mu, national social fraternity, at Gettysburg college. Miss Bracey, who is a member of the freshman class, is active in the Student Christian association and serves on the subscription staff of the "Gettysburgian."

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R. HECKENLUBER HEADS COUNTY POULTRY UNIT

Roy H. Heckenluber, Arendtsville, one of the county's foremost poultrymen, and a past president of the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation, was named first president of the Adams County Poultry Federation at its organization meeting Monday evening at the court house.

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THREE NAMED TO GIRL SCOUT BOARD MONDAY

Three board positions were filled and reports on the growth of the Girl Scout movement in Adams county were received at the March meeting of the board of directors of the Adams County Girl Scout Council Monday afternoon in the Little House, East High street.

Arnold Orner, Arendtsville, was appointed chairman of the finance committee. Mrs. Fred Faber, Jr., was named chairman of the Juliette Lowe committee and Mrs. Violet Hill was appointed to fill a vacancy on the staff and office committee. The selections were made unanimously after a report by Mrs. George E. Eberhart, chairman of the nominating membership committee.

Mrs. John Roberts, council registrar, said four troops had been registered last month and that Girl Scout membership now stands at 113 Brownies, 281 intermediates and 72 seniors with 72 leaders, 93 committee members and 14 board members.

Police Report

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Arthur R. "Art" Buehler, Gettysburg R. 1, Monday assumed his duties as sales manager for the H. and H. Machine shop, South Washington street.

The position marked Buehler's third "garage job" in 33 years. He began his career as a "gasoline boy" with David Forney at the Gettysburg National garage in 1916. Later, after attending college here and working for the Western Maryland railroad for a number of years, he joined the force of the Glenn L. Bream garage in 1934, about a year after that establishment was opened. He was service manager for Glenn L. Bream until last month.

Present president of the local Elks club, a past grand exalted ruler of the local Elks and a past master of the local Masonic lodge, Buehler is married and the father of four children.

He began his "garage career" working seven days a week, 12 hours a day for \$2.50 a week during the summers while going to school. As gasoline boy at the National garage he operated a one-gallon gasoline pump, which required winding up to deliver a gallon and then the handle had to be wound back and rewound before another gallon would be delivered to the vehicle receiving the gas. Among his duties during World War I was supplying gasoline for army convoys made up of 40 to 50 trucks and each truck required from 15 to 25 gallons of gasoline, when they halted at the National garage en route to Baltimore.

THREE NAMED

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Girl Scout Little House. Mrs. Ivan Taylor, Mrs. Luther Pittentur, both of York Springs and Mrs. Roberts were appointed as a committee to revise the constitution and by-laws. Mrs. Mervin Bream reported on a recent session of the Pennsylvania Camping association in Harrisburg which she and Miss Tupper attended.

The board voted to take two memberships in the Pennsylvania Camping association. Reports showed the Leaders' club very active with the next session to be held at York Springs March 30.

Plans for recognition of outstanding Girl Scout leaders in the county were discussed. In connection with the June council meeting three special awards will be given to outstanding leaders in the Brownies, Intermediate and Senior scouts.

Most of the board members signified their intention to attend an all-day conference for Girl Scout workers at Hershey April 2. It was announced that a number of radio programs on Girl Scout activities are being presented this week in connection with the 37th birthday of Girl Scouting in the U. S. March 12.

DR. M. MELCHIOR

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Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic society, and Kappa Phi Kappa. He is also a member of the Association of History Teachers of Middle States and Maryland, Pennsylvania Education association, National Education association, Philadelphia Social Studies club, and director, pennsylvania Child Labor association.

Has Wide Experience

An outstanding civic worker in Lansdowne, Dr. Melchior serves as superintendent of Lansdowne Methodist Sunday school, president of Lansdowne Council of Churches, and a member of the Allied Youth council and Lansdowne Union Athletic association. He is also a member of the Lansdowne Neighbors club.

Dr. Melchior became principal of Saltville high school, Virginia, upon leaving Gettysburg College. In 1903 he was principal of Sugar Grove Consolidated school in Virginia. He moved on to Perkiomen seminary where he was head of the history department in 1904, and in 1908 he became vice principal.

Dr. Melchior became associated with Girard college in 1913 when he was made head of the social studies department. Since 1924 he has been principal of high school instruction at Girard.

UPPER ADAMS

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19th and 20th, when children who will become six years of age on or before February 1, 1950, and whose parents anticipate enrolling them in first grade, will be required to take a series of simple mental-age tests, to determine their ability to receive first grade instruction. Tests are given under the direction of a county psychologist, and no first graders will be officially enrolled until they have taken and passed them.

A request by the Biglerville Brethren church, asking permission to use two small classrooms in the temporary building at the rear of the high school for Sunday school purposes was acceded to by unanimous vote of the executive committee.

The Finance committee of the Upper Adams school district will meet at the high school on Thursday, March 17, to prepare the 1949-50 school budget for submission to the joint board at its April 4th meeting.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Wedding

Sippling—Renzel

Mrs. Henry W. A. Hanson was hostess to members of Over-the-Teacups Monday evening at her home on the college campus. The program was in charge of Mrs. Donald P. McPherson, Jr., who reviewed Sir Oliver Sitwell's book, "Laughter in the Next Room." The club will meet in one week at the home of Mrs. W. E. Tilberg with Mrs. Frank H. Kramer in charge of the program.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Yount returned to her home in Washington, D. C., today after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. William A. Hennig, York street.

Mrs. Herman Frasch entertained the members of the Needlepoint club Monday evening at her home on Harrisburg street.

Five tables were in play at the card party held Monday afternoon at the Gettysburg Country club. Favors for scores held were received by Mrs. William G. Weaver, Mrs. Roy W. Gifford and Mrs. Thomas Winter. Arrangements for the party were in charge of Mrs. Joseph E. Codori and Mrs. Richard A. Brown.

Mrs. William Fleming, Baltimore street, entertained the members of the Monday Night Bridge club this week.

Members of the Business and Professional Women's club and the Annie Danner club planning to attend the tour of the seminary library and chapel Thursday evening are asked to sign at the "Y" by Wednesday evening. Members who are permitted to bring guests, will meet at the "Y" Thursday evening at 9 o'clock.

Miss Blanche Stoops and Miss Margaret Major have returned to Ardmore after week-end visits with their mothers, Mrs. Daniel Stoops, Emmitsburg road, and Mrs. Robert Major, North Stratton street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Butt, Steinwehr avenue, and Mrs. Donald Robert, Baltimore street, have returned from a vacation spent at Key West and St. Petersburg, Florida.

The Hospital Bridge club will meet Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Hotel Gettysburg with Mrs. Mary Martin as the hostess.

The Culvert club will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Guile W. Leffler, York street.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. Huber, Carlisle street, had as guests over the week-end their son-in-law, William Miller Welch, and his son, William, of Philadelphia.

Miss Beryl Hampton, Philadelphia, and Miss Leona Thomas, York, were guests Sunday of Miss Thelma Coulson, Buford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Wahl, Jr., Wilmington, Del., spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Wahl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Eckert, East Middle street. Mr. Wahl has accepted a position as manager of the Wilmington office of the Baltimore salesbook company. He was a member of the recent graduating class of Mt. St. Mary's college, Emmitsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene B. Eckert, York, also spent the week-end at the Eckert home.

Mrs. Paul Kebil has returned to her home on Chambersburg street after spending a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Imber, Philadelphia.

The Epsilon Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will hold a regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the recreation room of the First National bank building.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Johnson, Shippensburg, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. William T. Timmins, Jr., Chambersburg street, during a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Timmins and other friends here before leaving for Belgium. Mrs. Johnson, the former Marie Hoyoux of Hestal, Belgium, and Mr. Johnson are planning a visit of a year's duration with Mrs. Johnson's parents, whom Mrs. Johnson has not seen since joining her husband here three years ago. Mr. Johnson and Mr. Timmins were members of the same outfit, the 24th Quartermaster battalion during World War II, and served together in the bridge in route to work.

The woman was identified as Mrs. Vera M. Blackwell of Patterson, N. J.

Police said her brother reported her missing yesterday from his home in rural Thomasville, Pa.

Police said they believed the woman had been strangled. The body was found in a secluded spot by a man taking a short cut between the bridge in route to work.

The members of Mrs. Charles A. Sloat's Circle of the Woman's league will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. I. Burgoon, 244 Springs avenue.

A Mercury sedan owned by Stewart A. Luckabaugh, Hanover R. 4, was stolen between 7:30 and 11:15 o'clock Monday night from the Western Maryland siding near the Farm Bureau, according to a report made to borough police.

OPEN TYPING COURSE

Ethel McNair, sister of the late Mayor William McNair of Pittsburgh, and a graduate of Columbia university, inaugurates a course in touch typing in five lessons at the Hotel Gettysburg today. She is also offering a brush-up course in stenography.

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license has been granted in Carlisle to Randall Springer, Gettysburg R. 4, and Anna Irene Knisely, Dillsburg R. 3.

MISSION GROUP

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student at Gettysburg college, who was the guest soloist, sang "O Jesus Full of Pardon in Grace" by Butler and the Ninety-first Psalm, with Jesse Hansen playing the accompaniment. Miss Mabel Ruthrauff, as program chairman, introduced Mrs. Kraft and Mr. Hunter.

During the business session Mrs. Scott appointed Mrs. Robert Ditchburn to serve as program chairman and Mrs. Clyde R. Brown as secretary of the Spiritual Life group.

Plan April Meeting

She announced that Mrs. Charles Houser would talk on "Women's Association in the Church" at the April meeting at which Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas will conduct the devotional period. Special music will include vocal solos by Mrs. John Lott.

The hostess committee for the April meeting includes Mrs. W. Clayton Jester, Miss Sue Harper, Miss Lee Harper, Mrs. Emma Harper, Mrs. J. Willis Beidler, Mrs. Frank N. Hewettson and Mrs. Iris Plank.

Mrs. Scott announced that the spring Presbyterian all-day meeting will be held on April 22 the place to be announced later.

A social hour was held with the following members serving as hostesses: Mrs. Paul Kettner, Miss Reba Adams, Miss Irene Wolfe, Mrs. David Deitch, Mrs. Robert Ditchburn, Mrs. Effie Chapman and Miss Sara Lott.

Cpl. Bartlett Talks To Drivers' Class

Cpl. Jack Bartlett, of the local substation of the Pennsylvania State Police, was the speaker Monday evening at the regular session of the Drivers' Safety training course being held by the Recreation Association night school at Gettysburg high school.

Corporal Bartlett outlined the factors in which drivers are found weak when undergoing examinations for their driver's licenses. Among the "weak points," he said, are failure to put cars in proper position when making left and right turns. Such failure has been the cause of a number of accidents which he has investigated, the policeman added.

Jack Cessna, teacher of the course, said that a reactometer, to test the speed of reactions by drivers, is being sent here through courtesy of the Aetna Insurance company, for use by the members of the class. He also added that arrangements are being made by the Recreation Association to permit others to utilize the reactometer which will be here after April 1.

Fruit Growers To Meet On Thursday

The Adams County Fruit Growers association will meet Thursday evening at the Biglerville auditorium at 8 o'clock. F. E. Gries, Jr., secretary-treasurer of the organization announced today.

Reports on the bud situation are to be presented by various growers. William Lott, president of the Pennsylvania Cherry Growers Association will report on the national cherry pie baking contest and Frederic E. Gries, Flora Dale, a member of the executive group of the National Peach council, will report on highlights of the national peach meeting held recently.

Dr. R. S. Kirby, extension plant pathologist and J. O. Pepper, extension entomologist, will discuss orchard disease and insect conditions and spray materials recommended for use at the present time.

Purple Heart Vets To Meet Thursday

A meeting of Purple Heart veterans of Gettysburg and vicinity will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the VFW home, Carlisle street, according to William Burkhardt, Shippensburg state historian, who has been attempting to form a chapter of the Order of the Purple Heart here.

Several informal meetings have been held, and at the last meeting a list of 90 wounded veterans with the Purple Heart eligible to join a chapter here was compiled. All these men have been invited to attend Thursday night's meeting.

At present the embryo chapter has seven paid-up charter members, with Earl Smith, 232 South Washington street as finance officer.

John C. Knorr, 69, Ex-Rancher, Dies

John C. Knorr, 69, Gettysburg R. 2, died at the Warner hospital Monday evening at 8:45 o'clock from coronary occlusion. He was admitted to the hospital 19 days ago.

Mr. Knorr was born in Norwalk, Conn., and came to Adams county in 1937 as a farmer. He previously operated a cattle ranch in Canada for 25 years.

Surviving are his widow; three children, John Christian and Cornelius, both at home, and Mrs. William Williams, Bassano, Canada; five grandchildren, and four sisters, the Misses Ida, Anne, Lillian and Katherine Knorr, all of Norwalk.

The body will be shipped to Norwalk for services and burial.

MEETING THURSDAY

The Eastern States Farmers' Exchange membership meeting will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Barlow fire hall.

Upper Communities

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Pulls the Strings," and a snort will be shown at Bethlehem Lutheran church, Bendersville, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Immediately following the showing practice for the play "Well-Did You Ever?" will be held.

Mrs. Dale F. Lawyer, Mrs. Roy Lawyer and Mrs. John Deardorff, of Biglerville, were recent visitors in York.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Funt and Mrs. Viola Ecker, of Biglerville, visited in New Cumberland and Lemoyne Saturday.

Mrs. M. A. Shue, of York, was an overnight guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arnold, of Biglerville, Friday. On Saturday she was accompanied home by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Wentzel, and their daughter, Pamela, who remain with her for the week-end.

To Mark Scout Birthday

The Rev. Mr. Hooper, president, presided over the meeting and the Rev. Charles Rebert presented the report of the secretary and treasurer. Opening devotions were in charge of the Rev. Mr. James, pastor of St. James Lutheran church. Closing devotions were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Brumbach. The next meeting will be held Monday, May 2, at 2 p.m., in the Sunday school room of the Centenary Methodist church.

Sgt. James Sillieck and Pfc. Richard Burkhardt, of Camp Breckinridge, Kentucky, visited relatives in Biglerville over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic E. Gries

had as guests over the week-end at their home at Flora Dale, Miss Joan Buch, of Drexel Hill, and their son, Jeffery Gries, Ben Fusaro, Bob Summer, Phil Swaine and Ken Ruhl. The young men, all of whom are students at Swarthmore college, were in Gettysburg for the wrestling matches Saturday.

Fifteen members

attended the meeting of the Women's Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Biglerville, held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Earl Carney with Mrs. Warren K. Enck as the leader. Today's meeting was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Rouzer with Mrs. S. E. Kapp as leader. Wednesday evening the society will observe the Week of Prayer and Self Denial at the regular service at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Deardorff

had as guests Saturday at their home near Biglerville Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howland, of Shippensburg, and Mrs. Cora Funk, of Chambersburg. The Rev. McArile's sermon was based on the sixth commandment and closed with the prayer at the foot of the cross. The choir sang, "Jesus, My Lord, My All" and the pastor was the celebrant for the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fohl

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Dickie Lawyer

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The Friendship class of Trinity

Bender's Evangelical and Reformed Sunday school, Biglerville, will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Miss Edna Walter.

The Biglerville Business club

will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the high school building. Mr. Rudy, secretary of the joint school board of York, will talk on "Public Relations."

The Carnation Guild

will meet Thursday afternoon with

Auhlenberg Opposes Bullets In Final Home Game Wednesday

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, March 8 (P) — Ned Irish, the Madison Square Garden maestro, argues that the ticket situation for the Invitation Basketball Tournament would be a lot more comfortable if there were no local teams in the event. . . . Ned says some 5,000 seats are being reserved for the city schools, one of which can't be chosen until Friday or Saturday, leaving only the week-end for sales. . . . On the other hand, the NCAAs tourneys here have shown they can't have a sellout without local entries—so you can have your choice. . . . Harry Mendel, who has a nice job as Joe Louis' publicity agent, maintains it was Joe's own idea to go into fight promoting. . . . All Harry did was convince him it was better to hook up with wealthy backers—and make the connection with Jim Norris and Art Wirtz. . . . Cleveland's Al Supina, a red-hot hockey fan, explains: "I can't say I'm an old basketball man; I know there's no money in old basketballs."

THE CHIPS WERE DOWN
Earl Torgeson, the Graves' chief laugh-provoker, wasn't exactly pleased when Manager Billy Southworth ordered sliding practice the other day. . . . It was too blamed hot. . . . So when nobody was looking, Torgy lit a match and dropped it into the wood chips in the sliding pit. . . . Doc Young, the groundskeeper, organized a volunteer fire department to extinguish the fire and, for punishment, Torgy had to make the first slide.

SPRING TRAINING
A crowd of Lehigh university wrestling followers (yes college rassling has some real fans) planned to go to Ithaca, N. Y., this week-end to see Lehigh win the Eastern Association championship . . . finding all hotel accommodations gone, the Bethlehem, Pa., folks chartered a sleeping car for their two-day stay. . . . The question now is whether the Lehigh wrestlers, like the car, will be side-tracked.

Yesterday's Sports In Brief

(By The Associated Press)

Track

Montreal — Harrison Dillard, United States Olympic star, broke the Canadian indoor record in winning the 50-yard high hurdles in the dominion indoor track and field championships. Dillard set new marks in both his heat and the final, taking the heat in 6.4 and the final in 6.3 against the Canadian open record of 6.5 and meet record of 6.7.

Golf

Palm Beach, Fla. — W. A. Pagan, West Palm Beach amateur, fired a one under par 69 to pace the field in the qualifying round of the 42nd annual South Florida golf tournament.

St. Augustine, Fla. — Marporie Lindsay, Decatur, Ill., shot a 74 to win medal honors in the qualifying round of the Florida east coast women's golf tournament.

Horse Racing

Miami, Fla. — Speedy Lee (\$46.20) won the six furlong Coconut Grove purse at Gulfstream in 1:12 2/5.

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Trojans-Red Lion Play Here Tonight

A near-capacity crowd is expected to be on hand tonight to witness the Chambersburg-Red Lion high school semi-final District 3, PIAA, Class A basketball tilt on the Gettysburg college floor.

The game will start at 8 o'clock with the doors opening at 7 o'clock.

Chambersburg copped the South Penn league title this year for the sixth successive time and its over-all record for the season shows 19 victories and but one setback. Red Lion finished in a second place tie in the Southern York county loop and is representing that league in Class A play.

Coach Schlichter's Trojans are expected to win with ease. Tonight's winner will meet the winner of Friday's York-Muhlenberg township game for the District 3 title at the Hershey Sports arena Friday, March 18.

YORK SPRINGS DIVIDES GAMES

The York Springs high cagers dropped the curtain on their 1949 season Monday evening by dividing a pair of games with St. Mary's Catholic school at Hagerstown.

After being deadlocked at the close of each of the first three periods, the York Springs boys dropped a 55-52 decision. Dale Guise, forward and Captain Bob Wolf, center, both of whom will be lost via graduation, tabbed 21 and 16 points, respectively, for York Springs. The defeat was the 15th against one victory for York Springs.

Coach Jean Ferguson's girls started in the last half to win the preliminary game 22-12. It marked the sixth win against 10 losses for the countians. Those playing their final game for York Springs were Janice Brough, Joan and Jean Harbold and Barbara Chronister.

YORK SPRINGS

G. F. Pts.

D. Guise, f	10	1-7	21
Feinheimer, f	3	1-1	7
Wolf, c	6	4-9	16
Wishard, g	1	2-2	4
McCaughlin, g	1	0-1	0
E. Guise, g	1	0-0	2
Lott, g	1	0-0	2
Leer, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	22	8-20	52

SL. MARY'S

Martin, f	5	1-4	11
Chambers, f	0	0-0	0
Sullivan, f	5	1-1	11
Hershey, f	0	0-0	0
Keller, c	5	3-8	13
Richard, c	1	1-1	2
Mowen, g	4	0-0	0
Elia, g	4	1-2	9
Totals	24	7-16	55

Score by periods:

York Springs 13 9 17 13-52

St. Mary's 13 9 17 16-55

Referee, Brighter.

GIRLS' GAME

YORK SPRINGS

G. F. P.

Brough, f	0	0-0	0
Jean Harbold, f	2	1-1	5
Joan Harbold, f	4	2-6	10
Lory, f	3	1-3	0
May, f	0	0-0	0
Starner, g	0	0-0	0
Chronister, g	0	0-0	0
Snyder, g	0	0-0	0
Bobo, g	0	0-0	0
Totals	9	4-10	22

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Meanwhile, the President settled down to the enjoyment of a fortnight's vacation at this naval submarine base—his sixth trip to Florida. He flew in yesterday, landing at the Boca Chica airport, eight and a half miles from here.

Lehigh university was tendered a bid this morning to replace Muhlenberg which announced late Monday evening it would not defend its championship.

Teams accepting include Gettysburg, Dickinson and Lebanon Valley, non-league representatives; PMC and Swarthmore of the Southern division and Scranton and Albright, of the Western division.

Lafayette had previously announced it would not accept if invited due to having 29 games on its regular schedule. LaSalle also shunned an invitation.

Pairings will be made as soon as Lehigh, or an eighth team, has accepted.

Opening games of the tournament will be played Wednesday evening, March 16, two games at Rockne hall, Allentown, and two on the Northwest Junior high court, Reading. Semifinals and the finals will be played March 18 and 19 at the Palestra, Philadelphia.

RETAIN TAX RATE

A resolution was also adopted setting the 1949 tax rate as 11 mills for the general fund and two mills for the special fund. The rate is the same as last year.

The finance committee recommended that all salaries and wages be left at 1948 levels, and council adopted this recommendation with the exception of the salary of Edgar Shelman, highway department foreman, whose salary was increased from \$170 to \$180 a month.

Council exonerated \$566.95 general fund taxes and \$173.88 in special fund taxes, at the request of Tax Collector Herbert Weikert.

Receipt of \$80.34 from the Adams County Motors, representing the refund of the federal tax paid on the new police automobile, was reported by the secretary. This was \$15.06 less than the anticipated amount.

ASK RESTRICTED PARKING

A request from Postmaster Lawrence E. Oyler for restricted parking on East High street at the entrance to the rear of the post office, to accommodate the new highway mail truck, was referred to the highway and safety committees. The postmaster, who appeared before council, said the mail truck is 35 feet in length, and with cars parked on the street is unable to get into the driveway at the rear of the post office. Authority rests with the burgess to have temporary signs erected.

Oyler suggested that parking be restricted between 9 and 10 a. m. and between 5 and 6 p. m.

A request from Paul Whitmoyer, director of the Gettysburg Recreation association, for a half-day's use of highway equipment at the level of playground sites and draining of water from the playground lane at the west end of Breckenridge street, followed. Serving as pallbearers were Dewey Strevig, Oliver Matthias, J. Arthur Boyd, Clarence J. Krichen, Sr., Samuel Renner and William Anthony.

Funeral services were conducted at 9 o'clock this morning in the J. W. Little and Son, funeral home, Littlestown, for Samuel G. Smith, 75, who resided at Littlestown, R. 2, with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Plunk, and died at the Warner hospital, Saturday at 3:45 a. m. where he had been a patient for three days. Services were in charge of the Rev. Kenneth D. James, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church. Private interment followed. Serving as pallbearers were Dewey Strevig, Oliver Matthias, J. Arthur Boyd, Clarence J. Krichen, Sr., Samuel Renner and William Anthony.

Announcement has been made of the Littlestown high school band members who will participate in the Adams County Music Festival in April. Those who have been selected are Evelyn Anthony, first flute; Robert Burns, second oboe; Joann Wehler and Richard A. Little, Jr., first clarinet; Richard Mehring, second clarinet; Velma Flickinger, third clarinet; Jane Bowers and Patricia Shull, fourth clarinet; Ruth Staub, first alto sax; Richard Geisler, first trumpet; Marion Stavely, second French horn; Eloise Yealy, fourth French horn; Glenn Crouse, double B flat bass; Hamilton Walker III, snare drum; Albert Stock, bassoon.

The band has been practicing regularly and has furnished music for several school assemblies.

Plans are nearing completion for the annual play by the Junior class of Littlestown high school, Friday, 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium. It is a three act comedy entitled "Act Your Age" by William Davidson and is being directed by Miss Leora Held of the faculty.

Tickets are being sold by all members of the class and will also be on sale at the door on Friday night.

John Greenleaf Whittier was first inspired to write verse when, as a boy, his teacher loaned him a copy of Robert Burns' verse.

The Isle of Wight, in the British Channel, has a total area of less than 150 square miles.

Royal To Be Next

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It would be going too far to say that these harassed countries have lost their fear of untoward contingencies. But they are demonstrating that they can deal with aggression if it should develop.

This faith undoubtedly is based primarily on the leadership and strength of America. Linked with that, of course, is the courage inspired by the success thus far of the Marshall Plan in rehabilitating a great bloc of countries. Most of these states were so shattered by war that they could neither defend themselves nor, in some cases, feed themselves adequately.

Striking evidence of this lift in morale is seen in the attitudes of Norway and Denmark towards the highly controversial North Atlantic Alliance. Both these countries had been warned to steer clear of the Atlantic pact being forged by America, Canada, Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg.

REJECT RED OFFER

Yet Norway has rejected Russia's offer of a non-aggression pact and has joined the Washington negotiations for the Atlantic treaty. She defended her right to decide her own security problems, and told Moscow a non-aggression pact wasn't necessary since both countries were members of the United Nations.

Meantime Danish Foreign Minister Rasmussen is scheduled to leave for Washington tomorrow to seek the best possible basis for Denmark's final attitude towards the Atlantic pact. Diplomatic observers interpreted this as indicating that Denmark finally had decided to play ball with the west, although there has been no official announcement to this effect.

Norway's attitude puts her in a delicate position—or does it? Anyway, on January 29 Russia warned her Scandinavian neighbor not to join the Atlantic Alliance.

Still Norway is going ahead, showing confidence and determination.

WIN 12TH STRAIGHT

The Adams County Senior Extension club basketball team ran its victory streak to 12 straight on Saturday evening by defeating the New Oxford high school FFA team 43-35. Mathias paced the winners with 28 points while Gristed netted 13 points for the losers.

NEW OXFORD G. F. Pts.

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Out Of The Past

From the Files of the
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FIFTY YEARS AGO

Local Miscellany: A little German band made sweet music on our streets last Thursday, and the robins and bluebirds have been said, so if spring doesn't seem to be here, we at least have her harbingers.

The Daughters of Liberty will hold a social and ball in the new Masonic building next Friday evening, March 10th. Tickets 50 cents, admitting gentleman and lady.

Three loud peals of thunder awakened a number of people in this place at 2 o'clock last Sunday morning.

Eggs were scarce last week, bringing as high as 30 cents a dozen. John Tawney has erected a stable on the rear of his premises on South Baltimore street.

As we go to press, a "baby blizzard" is playing with Mister Winter's whiskers. We hope the old gentleman will not get mad and turn the March lamb into a lion this early in the month.

The new Town Council will meet Tuesday night for organization. The outgoing members the Edw. M. Wolf, 1st Ward; Geo. E. Stock, 2nd Ward, and Adam Ertter, of the 3rd. The new members taking their places are Edw. M. Wolf, reelected; Collin E. Spangler, 2nd Ward, and Jacob Patterson, of the 3rd Ward. Town Council is composed of seven Republicans and two Democrats.

Marriages. Laughman — Rickrode, Feb. 23, by Rev. Orville V. Long, Peter S. Laughman, of Hamilton township, to Miss Martha J. Rickrode, of Oxford township.

Lightner—Ruff — Feb. 2, in this place, by Rev. J. E. Kleffman, Geo. W. Lightner, of Duncannon, to Mrs. Susan Ruff, of this place.

Lott—Zellers—March 2, at New Oxford, by Rev. Ferdinand Hesse, Robert F. Lott to Miss Catherine Zellers, both of this place.

Sowers—Mickley—March 2, in this place, by Rev. T. J. Barkley, Lewis Sowers, of McKnightstown, to Miss Sarah Myers Mickley, of this place.

Trostle—Ziegler—March 1, at York Springs, by Rev. J. W. Reese, Harvey J. B. Trostle to Miss Sallie E. Ziegler, both of York Springs.

Election of Officers: Monday night the Gettysburg Gas Company elected the following officers: Pres., J. W. Diehl; Directors, J. M. Walter, Geo. J. Benner, L. M. Buehler, P. M. Bickle, H. B. Nixon and John B. McPherson.

On Monday night Union Encampment No. 126, I.O.O.F. elected the following officers: C. P., C. F. Solt; H. P., L. H. Stalismith; S. W., J. H. Colliflower; J. W., Dr. J. W. Tudor; Trustee, E. J. Pfeffer; Scribe, C. B. Kitzmiller; Treas., George F. Young; J. R. D. Armor.

At an election of the Magnolia Club Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., R. E. Wible, Esq.; Vice Pres., John J. Eberhart; Sec., and Treas., Harry S. Brinkerhoff; Asst. Sec., and Treas., Guy C. Wisotzkey; Librarian, Dr. C. LeRoy Hartman; Asst. Lib., Chas T. Ziegler; Executive Committee, Dr. John R. Dickson, Hon. S. McC. Swope, Robert R. Rowe, Dr. C. LeRoy Hartman, Hon. Geo. J. Benner.

In the County: The high wages paid farm laborers in the West have caused quite a number of our young men to leave Adams county. Farm hands are getting \$20 to \$23 a month and board.

Alwine Brothers, of Berlin Junction, have started another brick yard.

Mr. Irvin Wiest, who for some months worked in Criswell's bakery in York Springs, is now in the baking business for himself at Bigerville.

Personal Mention: Miss Grace Brumbaugh left today for the Episcopal hospital in Philadelphia, where she will take a three years' course preparatory to becoming a trained nurse.

Miss Esther Tipton visited in Hanover last week.

Dr. George M. Dill of Prescott, Wisconsin, is the guest of his mother in this place.

Miss Bessie Toot returned home from Franklin Grove, Ill.

Today's Talk
By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

IMPOSSIBLE—BUT YOU DO IT!

Can any one of us gain a greater thrill than this one—to do something that we know we can do, but which people have said we couldn't do? Most of us experience just this, and then it is that we establish a kinship with the stars! It's always a pleasurable triumph.

The realm of the impossible keeps shrinking all the time. Comparatively, it was but a few years ago that Charles Lindbergh flew non-stop from New York to Paris. Recently, however, a plane made a non-stop flight across the United States in less than four hours, and cross-Atlantic trips are now routine. Planes are now flying as fast as sound—which is quite some speed! Could it be that some neighbor on Mars may be now wondering about what is doing on this earth of ours?

What a fantastic dream television was but a few years ago! And the dreams ahead look even more impossible—but they will come true, for there are always those who like to get joy out of doing what people say can't be done.

Dr. Jethl, the last living man who was with Edison when he finally produced the electric light, once showed me through the old laboratory of Edison's which Henry Ford created anew in his Greenfield Village at Dearborn, Mich. He showed me dozens of inventions that Edison put his magic touch to—duplicating devices, telephones, typewriters, storage cells, the talking machine, the phonograph—and dozens of others. I dare say Edison got more downright pleasure out of doing things that people would have said were impossible than any man who ever lived. But he kept making them possible!

If we use our eyes and ears, we never know when we may catch the spark that may suggest some possibility that others may merely look upon as impossible. I once had a most interesting talk with the author of "Brains and Personality," the eminent physician, Dr. William Hanna Thomson, whose death occurred soon after. This is what he wrote in his book which he presented to me: "It would be well for all persons, of both sexes, to pay greater attention to the many thoughts which are suggested to us as we tread our way through life."

Through will and alertness alone we may become fathers to the possible—which others only look upon as the impossible.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Valleys."

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

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THE WALKER

They call it a "walker." He sits on the seat.

Applying the power with his two little feet.

And he goes round the rooms at a terrible pace.

Upsetting whatever is loose in the place.

A traffic policeman is needed, I say.

For your baby, dear daughter, no rule will obey.

Not yet a year old, but so reckless is he.

He's a menace to slow-moving old folks like me.

Hey! Look where you're going! I shout in alarm.

If you're not more careful you'll do yourself harm.

You've knocked over tables; scraped varnish from chairs.

No! Walkers aren't meant to be ridden down stairs.

They call it a "walker." But look at him go!

Where he's bumped into me I have black marks to show.

And I think as I gaze at the damage he's done.

This place will be wrecked when he starts in to run.

THE ALMANAC

March 9—Sun rises 6:23; sets 6:00.
Moon sets 2:58 a. m.March 10—Sun rises 6:17; sets 6:01.
Moon sets 3:33 a. m.

MOON PHASES

March 14—Full moon.

March 21—Last quarter.

March 29—New moon.

last week from a visit to her sister in York.

Miss Minnie Dellone, of Abbottstown, was the guest of Miss Katie Ramey last week.

Henry A. Lott and Robert Weikert, of Highland Township, left on Wednesday for Dixon, Ill.

Kenton Culp and Paul Spangler left last week for Poukeepsie, N.Y., where they will attend a business college.

Frank A. Beiter, who is employed in the bicycle works at Hagerstown, was in town on Thursday.

Fred M. Tietz is in Philadelphia on a visit.

Corporal John McIlhenny, Private Samuel J. Smith, J. A. McCullough, J. Frank Hart, Clinton Oyler, Wm. P. Hamil, Wilmer Keller and Clinton

Tate were Adams county boys belonging to the Hagerstown company, 1st Maryland Volunteers, who were mustered out at Camp McKenzie, Augusta, Ga., Tuesday, February 28.

Mrs. S. McC. Swope and youngest daughter are spending some time in York, the guests of Mrs. Leber.

W. G. Manahan, Charles Rose, Albert Baker and George Caldwell, of Liberty township, left Monday for Franklin Grove, Ill.

SHIFTING OF
MOLOTOV MAY
CHANGE POLICY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Whatever may be the exact reason for the sensational release of Vyacheslav Molotov from his position as Soviet Foreign Minister, it strikes me we may take it for granted that it isn't a purely domestic affair.

It portends some development of importance to foreign nations.

There are many guesses as to what is in the wind. Only developments will tell.

It could be that Molotov, who long has been Stalin's right hand, is being prepared to relieve the generalissimo of some of his duties.

It even might be that Molotov himself is not well, and is having his task eased.

Is Molotov Shelved?

The thing most difficult to accept is that the change represents a shelving of Molotov. He is one of the original old Bolsheviks, who came up through the revolution. He always has been close to Stalin and not only has been foreign minister, but premier and member of the all-powerful Politburo.

It has been generally expected that when Stalin got ready to retire, his mantle would fall on Molotov's shoulders. Has Molotov suddenly fallen from grace? It's hard to believe he has, though anything can happen these days.

It wouldn't be surprising to see a shift in Russian foreign policy. There certainly is room for a change of policy in Europe, because the Soviet policy hasn't been paying dividends. Western Europe has been recovering economically under the Marshall Plan. And along with that there has been a great strengthening of the defenses against aggression from any quarter.

Policy May Change

The morale of the western European democracies has been moving steadily upward. We get a good indication of that in the projected North Atlantic Alliance, to which Moscow objects bitterly.

So it's quite possible Russia may be considering a change of policy towards the west. The shifting of Molotov from the foreign office might be a part of the general strategy, without meaning that he was in disfavor.

Whether these mysterious moves signal some new tactics in the cold war remains to be seen. In any event, I believe we can say this:

Whatever change there may be in Soviet tactics, as I see it, there will be no alteration in the fundamental program of destroying capitalism and creating a Communist world. That goal always has been unchanged.

ROTARIANS ARE

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ice. An inspection committee from the National Board will visit any city at their request of the city authorities to conduct a survey and make recommendations of changes needed for better fire protection. The board's inspecting committee received its first great fame when it inspected San Francisco in 1906 and warned that the town was a fire-trap and predicted what happened the next year when that city's great fire occurred. Since that time the board has been asked to conduct 469 inspections of cities, Fissel said.

OPERATES LABORATORY

The board also sponsors the underwriters laboratory to which thousands of articles are sent each year by Manufacturers for study. Those that are approved by the underwriters as so constructed as to be fire resistant, or in the case of electrical articles, that they are so constructed it will be impossible for them to cause a fire. The laboratory also makes factory inspections to see that articles it approves are manufactured according to the original samples, the speaker added.

Another service of the board, Fissel said, is the catastrophe plan which goes into effect when some great disaster strikes, such as the Texas City, Texas, fire. When such an event occurs, the national board notifies all fire insurance companies and sends a special unit to the scene. Investigators from all companies join the board's unit and all investigations are carried out without regard to which company may have insurance on a particular house or business establishment.

PAID CLAIMS EARLY

By such a set-up most claims can be paid off within a few weeks time, Fissel pointed out, adding that within a few weeks after the Texas City fire, due to the work of the national board, more than \$4,000,000 in fire insurance claims with all different types of companies had been paid off enabling the city to begin reconstruction almost immediately.

Forty-nine attended the Rotary session at which President Mares Sherman, presided. Vice President William Tyson introduced the speaker. Attorney Edward B. Bullett reported plans for Gettysburg's participation in the district conference at Carlisle April 17, 18, 19.

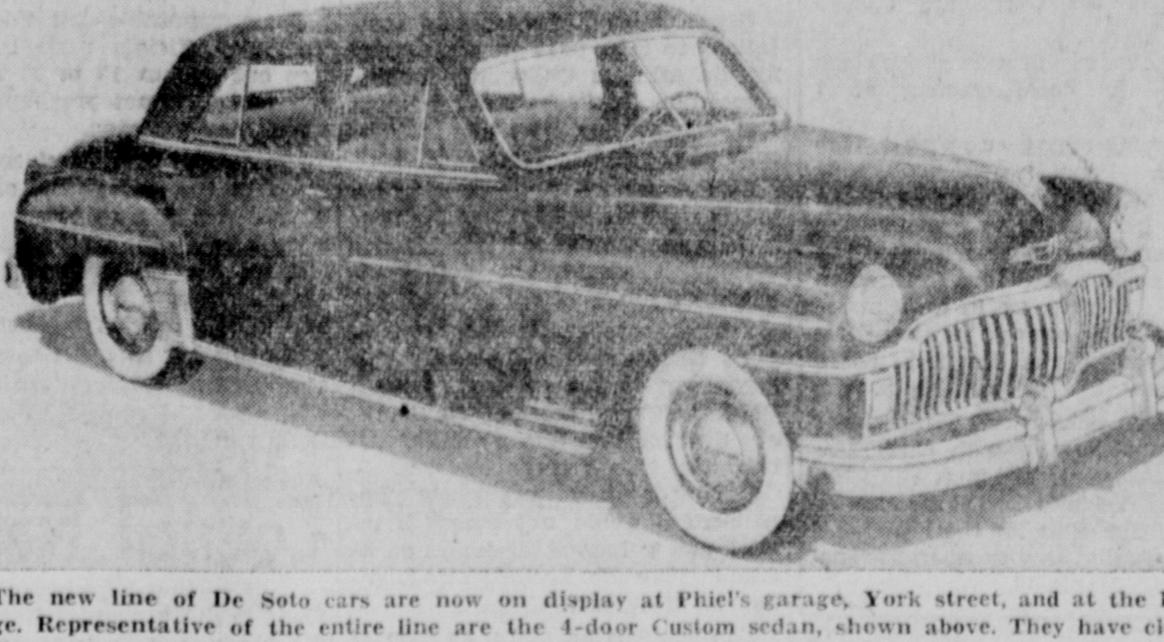
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First Picture of New De Soto



The new line of De Soto cars are now on display at Phil's garage, York street, and at the Bigerville garage. Representative of the entire line are the 4-door Custom sedan, shown above. They have clear, flowing lines; increased roominess inside; better visibility and a more powerful engine.

DE SOTO CARS

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width of the car is less. No headroom has been lost, yet overall height has been reduced. Legroom has been increased.

ROOMIER INSIDE

The result is a car that is far roomier inside, where space is needed, yet easier to park, garage and handle in traffic because of elimination of unnecessary bulkiness outside.

Additional front seat legroom has been secured by recessing the right side of the instrument panel and handle in traffic because of elimination of unnecessary bulkiness outside.

The Powermaster engine has higher compression and the horse-power has been increased. The Tip-Toe hydraulic shift and gyro Fluid Drive make De Soto the car that lets you drive without shifting.

The De Sotos have clean, flowing lines and a long, low look, accented by handsome chrome trim that also protects fenders and body from scrapes and dents. Fenders can be quickly removed for economical repair and are designed so that tires may be changed and chains put on with ease.

Visibility has been increased. There is 24 per cent more glass area in the windshield and improved, noiseless electric wipers sweep 44 per cent more windshield area. The V-type windshield of uncurved glass provides full vision without distortion, an added safety factor. Chair-height seats let the driver and passenger take full advantage of the increased visibility. The steering wheel has been placed so that shorter drivers may see over it easily and long-legged drivers will not bump their knees into it.

Among the many important mechanical improvements are a new ignition system which includes a splash-proof distributor; longer front coil springs; superior waterproofing of the engine compartment; dust-proof switches; thicker, softer rubber body mountings; an armored, theft-proof ignition cable and Parko-Lubrite treated cylinder walls for longer engine life. A turn of the ignition key now starts the engine.

To secure a loan on corn, it must have a moisture content below 20% per cent and be properly stored.

The De Soto Custom line includes

REP. SOL BLOOM
DEAD AT 79 OF
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and commented that the comment from New York "will be missed and widely mourned." Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) him "one of the finest men I ever had," adding: "Everybody loves a great soul will grieve Bloom's passing."

Bloom was born in Pekin, Illinois of poor Polish immigrant parents. His only education was down by his mother, a scholar. At the age of eight, his family had moved to San Francisco, where he found a job in a

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9th after 9 a. m., first 40 customers will receive free, a can of Silver Floss Sauerkraut at Thomas Bros., 40th anniversary.

RUMMAGE SALE: Rebekah Lodge, Leatherman Room, Center Square, Friday and Saturday, March 11th and 12th.

RUMMAGE SALE: Saturday, April 2nd. Leatherman room, Center Square, by Sunday School Class No. 43, St. James Lutheran Church.

WANTED TO borrow \$2,000 for 10 years at 5% interest. Can give good backing. Write Box 5, care Times.

Where to Go - What to Do 10

COME TO our 40th Anniversary Celebration often, open until 6 p. m. Wednesday; 9 p. m. Thursday; 6 p. m. Friday and 11 p. m. Saturday. Thomas Bros. Dept. Store, Biglerville.

BINGO: EVERY Wednesday night. Benefit Greenmount Fire Company. Door prizes.

PUBLIC SALE Household furnishings. Battlefield Hotel, March 12th, 1 p. m.

BINGO PARTY at Arendtsville school, March 18th, 50¢ for evening. Refreshments and sound movies.

EDUCATIONAL

Instruction 11

DIESEL POWER: Instruction, Male. Mechanically inclined men get free facts about opportunities and training plan covering big new field of Diesel Engines for trucks, tractors, locomotives, power plants, ships, etc. We train you in your spare time. Write for details giving age and present occupation. Utilities Diesel Training, 97, Gettysburg Times.

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Male Help Wanted 13

SALESMAN. NATIONAL brands appliances. High commission. Box 21, Fairfield.

MAN TO help with construction and general work on turkey farm. Regular work. See Paul Osborn, Close Brysonia.

Female Help 15

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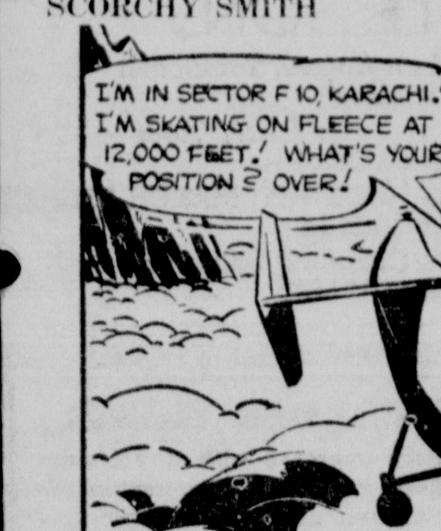
WANTED: EXPERIENCED waitresses over 21 years of age. Apply Blue Parrot.

WANTED: TITLE mounters. Minimum wage 70 cents per hour plus bonus. Call Biglerville 58 between 8 and 5.

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SCORCHY SMITH



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LADY DESIRES housework in vicinity of Gettysburg. Live in. Write Box 27, Gettysburg Times.

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SINGER SEWING machine, drop head, attachments. Good condition. Charles H. Lawver, Seminary Ridge, Old Dorn.

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REAL ESTATE

Farms For Sale 39

66 ACRE farm, some woodland, 3 room house and bank barn, electricity. Mile west of Heidlersburg. D. M. Bankert, Aspers, R. D. 1. Phone Biglerville 937-R-3.

Miscellaneous 40

FOR SALE Building Lots. Walter E. Johns, Gettysburg R. 3.

BUILDING LOT, edge of Cashstown, along main highway. Write Post Office Box 98, McKnightstown, Pa.

SEPTIC TANKS and cess pools cleaned, sanitary equipment. Max West, Phone Fayetteville 78.

SEPTIC TANKS and cess pools cleaned. Roseberry and Flora, Chambersburg R. D. No. 2. Phone 932-R-16.

AUTOMOTIVE

Accessories - Tires - Parts 43

WANTED: DRIVE shaft housing and rear end assembly for 1935 Chevrolet Master. Price must be right. Elvin Smith, Fairfield, R. 1.

1940 PONTIAC Club coupe. A-1 condition, 4 new tires. Price reasonable. Call 395.

1940 PONTIAC convertible, good condition. Phone Gettysburg 948-R-3.

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Highlights On Making Income Tax Returns

(Editor's Note: This is the 11th of 12 stories on who has to do what about his 1948 income tax return, for the deadline is March 15.)

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, March 8 (P)—This explains some of the deductions you can, and can't, take in making your 1948 income tax returns. Also listed are some kinds of income which, because they're tax-free, don't have to be reported at all.

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bequests of money or property, although the income from them is taxable; sickness and injury benefits received through accident or health insurance or under workers' compensation laws. Also—

Monthly government allowances to families of servicemen; mustering out pay; all benefits under the GI Bill of Rights, such for education and subsistence; state bonuses to veterans; disability pay; retirement pay for service-connected disability; allowances for uniforms; subsistence, traveling, quarters; pensions to veterans or their families for war services; all active service pay of enlisted men in the armed forces; and the pay of officers up to \$1,500.

PERSONAL EXPENSES

Here are personal expenses which can be deducted:

Contributions (limited to 15 per cent of income) to charitable, religious, scientific, fraternal and veterans organizations and non-profit educational institutions.

Here are other deductible personal expenses:

Dues to a labor union; state income and personal property and real estate taxes except taxes which, like paving assessments, tend to increase the value of your property. Also—

Interest on your personal note to a bank or individual; a mortgage on your home; a life insurance loan, if you pay the interest in cash; delinquent taxes; interest on installment purchases. Also—

OTHER DEDUCTIONS

State or local retail sales taxes; auto license fees; poll taxes; state gasoline taxes, except in Alabama, California, Florida, Louisiana, North Dakota, Utah, Wyoming, and Hawaii; property losses from fire, theft, storm or auto accidents when you weren't willfully at fault and you didn't get paid off for the damage; use of your car for business, which includes the cost of gasoline, oil, grease, repairs, cleaning, entertaining for business purposes; subscriptions to professional journals, books, papers and magazines bought for use in your profession; equipment, tools, and instruments used on your job; cost of work clothes and uniforms when not capable of taking the place of ordinary clothing.

You cannot deduct the following federal taxes unless paid for business purposes: Telephone, telegraph, or transportation, such as train or bus; admissions to theaters or sporting events, or club dues.

Nor can you deduct the federal tax on jewelry, furs, cosmetics, estates, inheritances or gifts imposed by the government, states or cities.

MEDICAL EXPENSES

You can deduct for medical expenses but only that part which exceeds 5 per cent of your income. Example: Jones' income, \$9,000; his actual medical expenses, \$600. But 5 per cent of his income is \$450, which leaves him only \$150 to deduct.

Even then you can't deduct an unlimited amount for medical expenses. Here are the limits:

Taxpayer claiming only one exemption, his own, \$1,250; taxpayers who are single or who are married and file separate returns and have dependents, \$2,500; married couples filing a joint return and claiming their own two exemptions, \$2,500; married couples filing a joint return and claiming three exemptions, their own two and one dependent, \$3,750; married couples filing jointly but claiming four or more exemptions, \$5,000.

MORE ABOUT RABBITS

Mr. Goodling said that farming and climatic conditions in Adams county are specially suitable for rabbit raising. He said rabbit meat can be produced at 15 to 17 cents per pound and is selling now at 30 to 40 cents, liveweight.

The McKnightstown plant, which will include a slaughterhouse, processing department, freezer system with 750 lockers and a fur tanning and processing section, will be able to handle five tons of rabbit meat

Cattle

2 milk cows with calves by their sides; 3 heifers carrying their first calves; yearling heifers, 125 White Leghorn hens.

Machinery

Farmall F-14 tractor with new cultivators; McCormick-Deering hay loader; McCormick-Deering manure spreader; side delivery rake; 3-section lever harrow; disk; cultipacker; spike harrow; 10-hoe drill; windmill; 2 two-horse wagons; wagon and carriages; dump rakes; 7-ft. cut binder; corn planter; corn plow; mower; 12-in. bottom tractor plows; cedar posts; 2 hog troughs; 250-gal. water tank; 500-capacity kerosene brooder stove; 2-unit Perfection milkers, good condition; 8 80-lb. milk cans; 2 milk buckets; strainer; cow clippers; bar sheer plow; 50-ft. 6-in. belt; saw frame; dehorners; 1,000 bu. ear corn.

Household Goods

Wood and coal Kalamazoo room heater; 10-ft. extension table; 6 dining room chairs; antique corner cupboard; antique sink; sideboard; 2 kitchen cabinets; sink; 5 dressers; 5 beds and springs; 3-piece living room suite; rocking chairs; clothes tree; stands; table; antique chest; 2 mattresses; 3 ice boxes. Many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms, cash.

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Clerk: L. U. Colling.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Wednesday, March 9

6:00 WNBC 660	WOR 710K	WJZ 770K	WCBS 260K
8:00 News; Bob Smith	News; P. Robinson	News Roundup	FM 98.7 (3:00 p.m.)
8:15 Show	Breakfast with Dorothy and Dick	Phil Cook Show	Ed and Peggy
8:30 Jim Falkenburg	Ed Fitzgerald	Margaret Arien Show	8:55 A.E. Claxton
8:45 " " " "	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
9:00 News; Peter Roberts	News, H. Hennedy	News, Bob Hite	Breakfast Club with Don McNeil
9:15 Ivan Sanderson	Get More Out of Life	This is New York	" " " "
9:30 Norman Brookeshine	The McCanns at Home	Bill Leonard	Bill Billings
9:45 " " " "	" " " "	" " " "	Miss Goss Shopping
10:00 Fred Waring Show	News, H. Gladstone	John Reed King	John Reed King
10:15 The Glee Club	Martha Deane	" " " "	" " " "
10:30 Road of Life	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
10:45 The Brighter Day	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
11:00 Do It Yourself Club	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
11:15 We Love and Learn	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
11:30 Jack Berch Show	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
11:45 Lora Lawton	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "